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Marriage in Malta.

Interesting Letter From the United Consul There.

SOME VERY PECULIAR LAWS.

Rights of Wives and Children and Their Claims on Property.—An Important Order From the Commissioner of Pensions. Other Washington News.

WASHINGTON, Aug. 16.—John Worthington, consul to Malta, writes about the institution of marriage there. There are many odd things about it. They will interest those who contemplate marriage, or who ever have.

"The civil law does not provide as to consent of parents at any age, and it is not essential. By canon law a male can marry at 14 and a female at 12. On attaining the age of 18 a person can manage his own affairs. No consent is necessary. Marriage is only a religious ceremony engendering civil rights. The Maltese are Roman Catholics, and their marriages are regulated by the canon law and the council of Trent. Marriages among Protestants are regulated by the law of England. A civil contract is sufficient without a religious ceremony for such as declare that they do not belong to a special religious denomination. There is no official empowered to celebrate civil marriages. Clergymen cannot celebrate marriages between parties having different religions, and different from the officiating clergyman. It is held, however, that a marriage celebration by a clergyman of the established Church of England between parties of different religions is valid. The question has never been tested in a court of law.

"Marriages are reported in the public registry within fifteen days under a penalty. Marriages celebrated in a foreign country according to the laws of that country are held to be legal in Malta as to the natives thereof. If celebrated in accordance with the canon law and council of Trent, even if all the formalities required by the law of the country where the marriage is celebrated are not observed, marriages are valid in the case of Roman Catholics. A marriage between Maltese Roman Catholics celebrated abroad before a British consul only is held valid here, in accordance with an act of parliament. If a native of Malta marries a foreign woman she, becoming a resident of Malta with her husband, becomes entitled to all the rights of a native woman as to property. There is no difference between natives and aliens with respect to property. The rights of husband and wife are reciprocal. If there are lawful or legitimate children, the survivor has a right to the fourth part, in usufruct, of the deceased's property. In default of children the survivor has the right to the fourth part in full ownership. All profits made after marriage are divided equally."

Of wives and children he goes on thus: "The wife can make a will and dispose of her property without the consent of her husband. The law makes no distinction between the property of husband and wife. Both can dispose as they like, saving the legitime. If persons have no children and die without making a will, the father and mother, together with the brothers and sisters, are entitled to equal shares. If deceased has no surviving parent or brothers or sisters, the estate goes to the next of kin up to the twelfth degree. If the deceased leaves no heirs within the said degree, the estate devolves to the crown.

"Persons can adopt the children of others and give them all the rights of their own, but adoption is only permitted to persons of either sex who have no children, legitimate or legitimated, who have attained the age of 50, or at least are eighteen years older than those they desire to adopt. The adopted child has all the rights of a lawful child as against the person adopting him only, even if the latter has children after the adoption. Adoption can only be effected with the authorization of the court of voluntary jurisdiction by means of a public act, to be inscribed in the public registry.

"Children born out of wedlock may be appointed as heirs by their parents, provided the latter do not have legitimate issue, in which case such children can only get one-third of the legitimate to which they would have been entitled had they been legitimate, and provided such parents do not leave ascendants surviving, in which case such children cannot receive more than two-thirds of the whole estate."

Rerating Pension Claims.

WASHINGTON, Aug. 16.—Commissioner of pensions has issued instructions to the chiefs of divisions in the pension bureau directing them hereafter not to take up for consideration any claim for rerating of pension that is embodied in a declaration for an increase of pension. Such rerating claims, the commissioner says, must be made separately, and must state with particularity what rating the pensioner believes to be inadequate and unjust, the grounds on which he bases such belief, and what he claims with regard to such ratings. This new rule of procedure he directs shall apply to all cases now on file.

Will Not Make It Known.

WASHINGTON, Aug. 16.—Acting Postmaster General Clarkson had a conference with Assistant Secretary Bachelder at the treasury department, about the settlement of government rates for treasury department telegraphic dispatches. Mr. Batchelder is authority for the statement that a modus vivendi has been agreed upon, but he refuses, at the request of the postmaster general to make public any of the details.

George Synder was kicked by a horse near Warsaw, Ind., and instantly killed.

STATE CONVENTIONS.

Virginia Democrats and Iowa Republicans Nominates Tickets.

RICHMOND, Va., Aug. 16.—The Democratic state convention met at 10 o'clock, Chairman Cardwell presiding. The friends of Mr. Venable had been hard at work all night, but it was evident before the convention met that efforts to combine the anti-McKinney delegates on their candidate had not been successful.

The second ballot was ordered a few minutes after the assembling of the convention. Before it had proceeded far, delegations began to break to McKinney, and, amid great excitement, vote after vote was added to the total piling up for him, until he had enough to assure his nomination. Then, before the ballot could be completed, a motion was made and unanimously agreed to, nominating Mr. McKinney by acclamation. The adoption of this motion was the signal for great cheering, and a scene of much excitement ensued.

The convention completed its labors by the nomination of John Hoge Tyler for lieutenant governor by acclamation; R. Taylor Scott, of Fauquier, for attorney general, and the adoption of a platform. Mr. Basil B. Gordon, of Fredericksburg, was elected chairman of the State Democratic committee, in place of Hon. John S. Barbour, who resigned.

Iowa Republicans Nominate a Ticket.

DES MOINES, Aug. 16.—The Republican state convention, after balloting until midnight, resumed at 9 o'clock, and on the twenty-fifth ballot Senator J. G. Hutchinson was nominated for governor. He received 621 votes, or forty-three more than a majority. Senator Poyner was nominated for lieutenant governor on the second ballot. Judge Josiah Given, for supreme judge, Henry Sabin, for state superintendent, and Spencer Smith for railroad commissioner, were nominated by acclamation. The committee on resolutions reported the platform, which was unanimously adopted. A resolution endorsing Pension Commissioner Tanner was adopted, and at 12:30 the convention adjourned.

KILLED WITH AN UMBRELLA.

A Hotel Proprietor Dies from the Effects of a Broken Nose.

WASHINGTON, Aug. 16.—Theodore S. West, proprietor of the Langham hotel, formerly of Waukesha, Wis., and who commanded a Wisconsin regiment during the war, died at Asbury Park, N. J., yesterday. Col. West had a quarrel on the 6th of last month with Sterling Ruffin, of North Carolina, a young clerk in the treasury department, during which the latter struck West with his umbrella, breaking his nose. He then knocked West down and pummeled him.

West went to Asbury Park last Thursday, as his friends say, not having recovered from the effects of the injuries received in his fight with Ruffin. Ruffin was arrested yesterday afternoon, soon after the news of West's death reached the city, and held in $2,000 bail to await the developments of the coroner's inquest, as to the cause of West's death. Col. West's friends claim that his death resulted from the injuries received at the hands of young Ruffin.

RESISTING ARREST.

An Illicit Distiller Shoots and Kills a Deputy Internal Revenue Collector.

JACKSONVILLE, Fla. Aug. 16.—Deputy Internal Revenue Collector Weller and several other officers went to the house of an illicit distiller named John M. Brownell, in the woods north of Westville, last night, to arrest him. Brownell was asleep. On being aroused and notified that he was wanted he seized a gun and jumped through a window.

Weller was the first man he met, and he fired a heavy load of shot into the deputy's face, producing a fearful mutilation. Weller fell dead, and before his companions could take action Brownell had made good his escape. He is hiding in the woods. If caught he will very likely be lynched, as public feeling is much excited. Weller was 28 years old, a native of Jacksonville. His body was taken to Tallahassee.

TRAIN ROBBER CONFESSES.

The Notorious Jack Gorton Talks to a Reporter About His Crime.

SACRAMENTO, Cal., Aug. 16.—Detective Thatcher, of Wells, Fargo & Company's express, states that at San Quinlin prison yesterday, he obtained from Jack Gorton, convicted at Auburn last week and sentenced to ten years' imprisonment for robbing the express train at Clipper Gap, last Christmas, a full confession of his crime.

Gorton implicated his brother in the robbery and also admitted that they robbed the stage in Sonora county, of which crime he was acquitted at his trial on the charge a few weeks ago. The Gortons came to Sacramento to attend the robbery of the express train, and subsequently east, Jack was captured in Kansas City.

"The Banner of the Sea."

BOSTON, Aug. 16.—John Boyle O'Reilly has awarded The Scranton Truth's prize of $100 to Homer Greene, of Honesdale, Pa., for the words of an American sea song. There were over 200 competitors for the prize. Mr. Greene's song is entitled "The Banner of the Sea," and Mr. O'Reilly says it possesses the elements of an admirable National song. The publishers of The Truth will now offer a prize of $100 to be competed for by composers desiring to set Mr. Greene's words to music.

A Small Assignment.

PHILADELPHIA, Aug. 16.—The firm of David Crowther & Son, who have woolen mills in Germantown, yesterday made an assignment to John Tapham, a retired Germantown woolen manufacturer, for the benefit of their creditors. They firm employed thirty-five hands, their liabilities being about $6,000.

Smokeless Powder.

Experiments Being Made of It By Germany.

MILITARY MEN INTERESTED.

Its Great Cost the Only Drawback to Its General Use—Comments on Boulanger. More About the Condemned Mrs. Maybrick—Other Dispatches From Across the Atlantic.

BERLIN, Aug. 16.—Military men are watching with keen interest the experiments on the continent with the new smokeless powder. So far nothing, except its higher cost, has been brought forward against it to counterbalance the very evident advantages which result from its use.

At the Spandau maneuvers yesterday both emperors watched, with great interest, the shooting from the side using this smokeless powder, and noted with much satisfaction that on that side the movement of the troops not being hampered by the dense volume of smoke, which hung over the opposing army, were characterized by much greater precision and freedom of action.

It is not strictly correct to speak of this new powder as smokeless, for there certainly is some smoke, but it is very light, and at Spandau yesterday, after the firing had continued for an hour or more, at a distance of 300 yard's from the troops using this powder, no smoke whatever could be seen, although a nearer approach disclosed a light, steam like vapor.

What was perhaps quite as noticeable a feature was the absence to a great extent of the deafening noise to which we are accustomed from the explosion of firearms. It is calculated that the report of a given volume of the smokeless powder is just half as loud as with the same volume of ordinary powder.

Comments on Boulanger.

PARIS, Aug. 16. - The Republican journals are convinced that public opinion will ratify the decree of the senate court, and this conviction is strengthened by the fact that the sentence imposed upon Gen. Boulanger, Count Dillon and Henri Rochefort, created no excitement whatever in the city, nor is there any movement to indicate that the court's judgment will be resented.

The Conservative and Boulangist papers, however, express themselves as sanguine that the general elections for members of the chamber of deputies will show that the people do not acquiesce in the verdict.

It is alleged that M. Waddington, French ambassador to England, has been instructed to sound the English government on the question of extraditing Gen. Boulanger, Count Dillon and M. Rochefort.

The Condemned Woman.

LIVERPOOL, Aug. 16. - Mr. Stewart, an analytical chemist of Glasgow, has written a letter stating as his deliberate opinion that James Maybrick died from the effects of his secret habit of arsenic drinking, the poison being taken as a desideratum. Mr. Stewart was prepared to testify at the trial of Mrs. Maybrick, and is the witness whose evidence the condemned woman declares was kept back.

The London Lancet, the most noted of medical journals, prints a five column review of the trial, and comes to the conclusion that the verdict was warranted by the evidence.

Hopes for Boulanger.

LONDON, Aug. 16. Mr. Deroulede, the prolific writer of war songs, and president of the Patriotic League of France, Boulangist organization, in an interview expresses the opinion that the popular belief that Boulanger had concluded an alliance with the Orleanist party was mainly responsible for the general's defeat at the recent cantonal elections for the states general. M. Deroulede very frankly admits that his chief's present prospects are not very brilliant, but he has hopes that Boulanger and his party will still carry their banner to victory.

Trouble Feared in Zanzibar.

ZANZIBAR, Aug. 17. The Europeans here are much alarmed lest the Mussulmans shall become riotous during the Moslem New Year festivities. There was a slight disturbance Wednesday, but the disaster was quelled. The ringleaders were arrested and put in prison. During the row the Indian troops confronting the rioters became panic-stricken and fled.

Bonapartist Banquet.

PARIS Aug. 10 At a large Bonapartist banquet last night, Boulanger's name was loudly cheered. The chairman spoke of Boulanger as the only Republican faithful to the National tradition of the plebiscite. He said the Bonapartists must redeem France.

Twenty Years a Missionary.

CHARLOTTE, N. C., Aug. 16 Rev. S. Mattoon, D.D., professor of theology, at Biddle institute, a large college for negroes, endowed by northern people, located here, died yesterday at the home of son-in-law, Rev. E. W Thomas, of Marion, O. Dr. Mattoon was elected president of Biddle in 1870, and held that position until declining health compelled its relinquishment four years ago. He was born in New York in 1819, and graduated at Princeton Theological seminary. He spent twenty years as a Presbyterian missionary in Siam.

Taking a Few Days Rest.

PUTNAM, Conn., Aug. 16.- Judge Walter Q. Gresham and Lieut. Gen. John M. Schofield are spending a few days here, as guests of John W. Doane, of Thompson, Conn.

CONSTITUTIONAL CONVENTIONS.

Woman Suffrage Discussed at Bismarck. At Olympia.

BISMARCK, Dak., Aug. 16.—The constitutional convention adopted the report of the committee on electric franchise, as reported back by the committee on revision. This makes it necessary to submit the question of woman suffrage, other than the right to vote at all school elections to a vote of the people.

The article on municipal corporations was adopted, the section providing that no city, town or village shall ever become a subscriber to the capital stock or owner of stock of any railroad or private corporation being stricken out.

The article on railroads and other corporations was discussed for several hours, the bone of contention being an amendment that the courts shall have the power to decide what are just and reasonable rates. An amendment providing that the rates fixed by the railroad commission or the legislature should be in force, pending the decision of a court, was adopted.

The convention unanimously adopted a resolution endorsing the proposition to hold the world's fair in Chicago.

A Day of Discussion at Olympia.

OLYMPIA, W. T., Aug. 16.—The constitutional convention spent the entire day in a discussion of the question of state sovereignty in the matter of tide lands. Only one vote was taken. It was on the general principle of state sovereignty and was largely in the affirmative. The question then came upon the conformity of patents issued by the United States government to land part of which, possibly through error, is tide land. It was argued that the United States had no right to grant patents to any party of the tide lands, that they belong to the state, and have only been held by the Federal government as a trustee. This position was generally admitted as a matter of law, but it was claimed that persons who in good faith have improved and built upon those lands have an equity right which should be recognized. The debate was still on when the convention adjourned.

AT THE LAST MOMENT.

Benson's Death Sentence is Changed to Life Imprisonment.

INDIANAPOLIS, Aug. 16.—The executive office closed yesterday afternoon without any action on the part of the governor in the case of William Benson, the Clark county murderer, and his friends believed that his doom was surely fixed, and that he would be hanged in the Southern prison to-day.

Unknown to them, however, the governor had been considering the case for the last time during the day, and last night he telegraphed the warden to suspend the execution. Benson's aged mother made a last appeal for her son yesterday, and this appeared to have overcome the scruples of the executive. An order commuting the sentence of Benson to imprisonment for life was issued, and will be forwarded to the warden. The governor assigns as a reason for his action that Benson was born in a poor house, is of a very low order of intelligence, and that the crime was instigated by these circumstances.

MILLIONS OF BACILLI,

Of the Tuberculosis Variety, Found in Elixir Prepared in St. Louis.

ST. LOUIS, Aug. 16.—Dr. A. B. Shaw, of this city, who has been making microscopic examinations of Brown-Sequard's "elixir," discovered, while experimenting Saturday last, that the fluid was alive with countless bacteria, although but three hours had elapsed since the elixir was prepared. Bacilli tuberculosis, the bacillus that is supposed to caused tuberculosis, were found in great quantity, thousands being in a single drop of the mixture.

Dr. Shew could arrive at but one conclusion, namely, that the glands were from a sheep infected with the bacilli of tubercle, as the mortar and pestle, and the distilled water had been thoroughly sterilized before the mixture was made. Dr. Shaw estimated that in a drachm of the injection millions of these bacilli would have been put into the system, each one capable of multiplying itself indefinitely.

Freight Train Robbed.

OLEAN, N. Y., Aug. 16.—Twenty robbers boarded a freight train of the Western New York and Pennsylvania railroad at Irvington yesterday, intimidated the train men, broke open and robbed the cars of a large quantity of goods. Officers were sent from here, and four of the robbers captured. A quantity of the goods was found hidden in a hay mow and brought here.

Mrs. Harrison Ready to Return.

NANTUCKET, Mass., Aug. 16.—Mrs. Harrison will leave here to-day at 12:30 for New York via the Fall River line. George L. Connor, general passenger agent of the Old Colony line, will escort her from this place to Fall River. Mrs. Harrison expresses herself as much pleased with her visit here, especially because she has found welcome retirement.

Big Shoot at Fort Snelling.

MINNEAPOLIS, Minn., Aug. 16.—The ninth annual rifle competition of the department of Dakota opened at Fort Snelling Thursday morning. Every troop and company of the Eighth regiment of cavalry and infantry stationed at the various posts in Minnesota, North and South Dakota, Montana and Wyoming are represented among the contestants.

Ended a Drunk by Cutting His Throat.

TOLEDO, O., Aug. 16.—George Clark, endeavored to end his existence yesterday by cutting his throat with a pen-knife. He mangled himself in a horrible manner, but will probably not die. Despondency caused by prolonged spreeing was the cause for the act.

The Terry Tragedy.

Justice Field Resumes His Official Duties.

A WARRANT FOR HIS ARREST

Has Been Issued on Complaint of Mrs. Terry Who Charges Him With Complicity in the Killing of Her Husband. The Coroner's Verdict.

SAN FRANCISCO, Aug. 16.—Justice Field resumed his official duties yesterday, and sat in the circuit court with Judge Sawyer, and Judge D. J. Brewer, of Kansas. He is still constantly under the protection of a deputy marshal, as is also Judge Sawyer.

United States Marshal Franks has received from Nagle the details of the affair. Nagle says he is confident that Terry drew back his hand after striking Justice Field, for the purpose of pulling from his coat a knife he was presumed to have carried, as he once made affidavit that he always went armed. It is the theory of those about the United States marshal's office that Mrs. Terry, when she threw herself on her husband's body, took a weapon from him. When the body was searched no weapon was found.

Mrs. Terry's Life.

CAPE GIRARDEAU, Mo., Aug. 17.—Mrs. Terry was born here thirty-nine years ago, and was one of two children of Samuel Hill, a prominent attorney of this place. Her mother died in 1856, leaving her and her brother $40,000. She is related to some of the best families in the county, and as she grew up to womanhood was noted for her remarkable beauty.

She graduated from St. Vincent's convent in this city. She developed a spirited temper and when she reached womanhood had things all her own way. She acquired the reputation of being a flirt. Broken-hearted over a lover, and with her fortune almost squandered, in 1870 she started for California, where she met Senator Sharon, with whom she subsequently took up her residence, presumably as a wife.

Terry a Terror in '49.

BUFFALO, N. Y., Aug. 16.—Police Judge King, of this city, was editor of The San Francisco Bulletin during the memorable days of '49. Speaking of the late ex-Judge Terry to a United Press reporter Judge King said: "This man Terry has threatened my life many a time. His gang was after me more than once. I was a friend of Broderick, whom Terry shot. Terry was a thorough desperado. I remember once during a trial Terry sat facing the witness box, his feet on the bar, picking his teeth with a bowie knife. He began to abuse the witness, and after enduring it quite a while, calmly, the latter retorted. Terry did not say a word. He reached into the rear pocket of his trousers, pulled a revolver and shot the man dead. Terry was never punished for this crime."

Mrs. Terry Has Justice Field Arrested.

STOCKTON, Cal., Aug. 16.—A warrant has been issued for the arrest of Justice Field, on complaint of Mrs. Terry, who charges him with complicity in the killing of Terry. The sheriff has gone to San Francisco to serve the warrant. Judge Terry's remains will be buried Friday. The body remains at the morgue and Mrs. Terry is constantly beside the coffin.

The Coroner's Verdict.

STOCKTON, Cal., Aug. 17.—No new facts were developed at the coroner's inquest over Judge Terry's body. A number of witnesses gave their testimony, the proprietors of the hotel in Lathrop among them. The coroner's jury then brought in a verdict that the deceased came to his death from the effect of gun shot wounds inflicted by David Nagle at Lathrop.

Nagle Refuses to Talk.

STOCKTON, Cal., Aug. 17. -Nagle refused to be interviewed, simply saying: "I am a deputy United States marshal, and simply did my duty as an officer." He appeared very cool and determined, but was very pale. He was locked up alone.

HE VY ELECTRICAL STORM.

A Vast Amount of Damage Done Throughout New Jersey.

LONG BRANCH, N. J., Aug. 16.—The storm of last night washed the streets here badly. The surface water rushed in torrents down the bluff cutting gaps in several places.

At Ocean Beach, Sylvan lake overflowed its banks and flooded the avenues on all sides.

At Asbury Park the storm was the heaviest electrical storm that ever visited that section. The rain fell in torrents, and at midnight the water backed up into the houses west of the railroad to the depth of six feet. Part of the railroad embankment was undermined. Fences and small buildings were swept away and considerable other damage was done.

A Well Known Journalist Dead.

NEW YORK, Aug. 16.—George Slater, a well known journalist of this city, died yesterday in Roosevelt hospital. Mr. Slater was for a long time financial secretary of the press club, of which he was a member at the time of his death. He was for a number of years, and until a few months ago, connected with the United Press. He leaves many friends.

Boy Drowned by a Dog.

NIAGARA FALLS, N. Y., Aug. 16.—Last night George Dayman, aged 12 years, led his dog to the hydraulic canal to give him a swim. The dog dragged the boy in and he was drowned. The body was recovered.

CONDENSED TELEGRAMS.

Minor Events and Little Happenings at Various Places.

A miner named Engle was killed by cars Cambridge, O.

A conductor named Swartz was killed in a collision near Brazil, Ind.

Joseph Johnson, colored, was killed by lightning in Montgomery county, Ky.

The next meeting of the Supreme Lodge of the colored Knights of Pythias will be held at New York, Aug. 12, 1891.

Governor Hovey has commuted the sentence of William Benson, the Clark county, Ind., murderer to imprisonment for life.

A saloon keeper named Boshman, who shot Thomas F. Thomas at Roslyne, Wis., was taken from jail by a mob and lynched.

Hon. Jacob D. Cox has been chosen temporary chairman of the Western waterways convention, which will be held in this city Sept. 4.

At McGhee's Landing, Tenn., the wife of James S. Stokes, mistaking a window for a door, fell headlong to the ground below and was killed.

Russel Harrison's application for the examination of Col. Crosby—who is suing him for $10,000 for alleged libel—before trial, was denied at New York.

Thomas M. Dill, of Loveland, O., charged with drunkenness and abusing his family, pleaded guilty, and was sentenced to the work house for twenty-six days.

The Louisville, New Albany and Chicago Railway company will make a rate of a cent a mile over its whole route to veterans attending the G. A. R. encampment at Milwaukee.

Harry S. Now, proprietor of The Indianapolis Journal, refused to answer certain questions before the grand jury, and was sent before Judge Irwin for contempt. The court's decision will be announced to-day.

Hon. John E. Locke and Hon. George C. Rawlins both claim the Republican senatorial nomination in the Eleventh Ohio district. There is some talk of submitting the matter to the state central committee for settlement.

JOHN L. SULLIVAN ON TRIAL.

A Number of Witnesses Examined and the Case Rests with the Jury.

PURVIS, Miss., Aug. 16.—A jury was obtained in the Sullivan prize fight case and the trial began. Maj. W. W. Robinson, a deputy sheriff, was the first witness. He described the fight, and testified to seeing the money handled, and the men hit and bruise one another. On cross-examination witness said he could not swear that the ring was in Marion county.

Foreman White, of the grand jury, gave similar testimony. J. S. Hollaman testified that he once owned the land on which the fight occurred, and knew it to be in Marion county. Witness was at the fight, but said it was a harmless affair; less serious than many an everyday encounter. J. Hinton, a grand juryman, and Sheriff Cowart, testified to the leading facts concerning the fight. The state then rested its case, and as there were no witnesses on the other side it was agreed that the case go over until to-day. The jurymen were locked up in the court room for the night.

DRAWING THE COLOR LINE.

A Division of the Order of Foresters and a New Order Formed.

MINNEAPOLIS, Minn., Aug. 16 The subsidiary high court of the Ancient Order of Foresters has voted to sever all connection with the high court of England, and organize as an American high court. The difference arose over the admission of colored men to the order, the English high court insisting on it and the Americans objecting.

On the opening of the afternoon session the six who voted against the Declaration of Independence withdrew their votes and made it unanimous. It was voted not to send any notification of their action to England. There was some discussion over the adoption of a name for the new order, but the convention finally agreed upon the "Ancient Order of Foresters of America." The term high court was changed to supreme court, and all changes were made to Americanize as far as possible the new organization. There was a parade and banquet in the evening.

Regulators Foiled.

NEW ORLEANS, Aug. 16. The Picayune's Grand Cateau special says: About 2 o'clock this morning a mob visited the residence of J. H. Duplechein, a planter, living about four miles from here, for the purpose of "regulating" a mulatto woman whose conduct did not exactly suit their ideas. The woman was taken by the crowd, and as she was being carried away by them, Duplechein came out and made an attempt to shoot, but his gun failed to fire, and the mob turned and seriously wounded him. Mr. Duplechein fired after he was shot and caused the mob to release the woman. It is understood that the "regulators" can be identified, and it is likely that they will be brought to justice.

Relief for Johnstown.

JOHNSTOWN, Pa., Aug. 16. The subcommittee of the flood relief committee concluded their conferences with the local committees, and agreed upon a report which provides for the distribution of $1,149,614 to all of the classes as rated by the board of inquiry. The first three classes are to be paid in full, respectively $1,000, $900 and $500 each, while the others are to get 30, 22 and 15 per cent. of their losses. If, after a readjustment the calculations of the committee hold out, there will yet remain $600,000 to distribute, which will require another distribution, unless it should be determined to give the amount to the eighteen counties that suffered by the flood in the eastern part of the state.

A Woman Burned to Death.

HOLLEY, N. Y., Aug. 16. -The residence of Patrick Sweeney, in East Holley, was burned this morning. Mrs. Sweeney was burned in the building. It is believed a lamp in Mrs. Sweeney's room exploded, causing the fire. Her charred remains were recovered.

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Planning a Raid on Indians.

GLENWOOD SPRINGS, Col., Aug. 16.—Private parties are planning a raid on the Indians, who are said to be moving east toward their old hunting ground near the head of White river, and a lively time is expected. A good deal of adverse comment is caused by the inaction of the officials in face of the fact that game is rapidly disappearing.

Base Ball.

ASSOCIATION GAMES.

At Cincinnati—Cincinnati 9, Athletic 10.
At Louisville—Louisville 0, Baltimore 3.
At Kansas City—Kansas City 2, Brooklyn 7.
At St. Louis—St. Louis 17, Columbus 11.

NATIONAL LEAGUE.

At Cleveland—Cleveland 10, , Boston 6.
At Indianapolis—Indianapolis 6, , Philadelphia 8.
At Chicago—Chicago 7, Washington 6.
At Pittsburg—Pittsburg 9, New York 2.

PRICES CURRENT.

Review of the Money, Stock and Cattle Quotations for Aug. 15.

NEW YORK—Money at 2½@3 per cent.

Currency sixes, 118 bid; four coupons, 128; four-and-halfs, 109¾ bid.

The stock market opened very dull with first prices generally slightly higher than last evening's closing figures or unchanged. There were afterwards slight advances in the list, followed by a decline of ⅛@¼, and at noon the market was dull and rather heavy at small fractions under the opening figures.

Big Four	178	Mich. Central	89¼
C., B. & Q.	104	N. Y. Central	107
C., C., C. & I.	75¾	Northwestern	110¼
Del. & Hudson	148	Ohio & Miss.	22¾
D., L. & W.	145¾	Pacific Mail	35¾
Erie	28¾	Rock Island	98¾
Lake Shore	101¾	St. Paul	71¾
L. & N.	70	Western Union	85¾

Cincinnati.

WHEAT—72@77c.
CORN—35@40c.
WOOL—Unwashed, fine merino, 18@19c; one-fourth blood combing, 23@24c; medium delaine and clothing, 24@25c; braid, 18@20c; medium combing, 23@24c; fine washed, fine merino X and XX, 28@29c, medium clothing, 30@31c; delaine fleece, 30@31c.
HAY—No. 1 timothy, $8.00@8.50; prairie, $7.00@8.50; straw, $5.00@6.00.
CATTLE—Good to choice butchers, $3.35@3.85; fair, $2.65@3.25, common, $1.50@2.50; stockers and feeders, $2.00@3.50.
HOGS—Selected butchers and heavy shipping, $4.35@4.40, fair to good packing, $4.25@4.35; common and rough packing, $3.50@4.20; fair to good light, $4.40@4.60; pigs, $4.00@4.50.
SHEEP—$3.00@5.00.
LAMBS—$5.50@6.75.

Pittsburg.

CATTLE—Prime, $4.10@4.50, fair, $3.25@3.65; good, $3.90@4.10; culls, stags and fat cows, $2.00@3.00.
HOGS—Heavy, $4.30@4.50; medium, $4.60@4.70; Yorkers, $4.80@4.90; roughs, $3.50@4.50.
SHEEP—Prime, $4.90@5.10; fair to good, $4.60@4.80; common, $3.00@3.50.

Chicago.

HOGS—Light, $4.25@4.65; mixed, $4.00@4.30; heavy, $3.90@4.10.
CATTLE—Extra beeves, $4.50@4.75; steers, $3.50@4.00; cows, bulls and mixed, $1.25@3.00; stockers and feeders, $2.00@3.20.
SHEEP—$3.50@4.70.
LAMBS—$4.50@6.00.

New York.

WHEAT—No. 2 red winter, 87½@89c; do September 84½c.
CORN—Mixed, 44½c.
OATS—No. 2 mixed, 27½@27¾c; September, 29¾c.

Toledo.

WHEAT—Receipts, 59,428 bush.; shipments, 45,156 bush.; selling at 80½c.

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FRIDAY. - - - AUGUST 16.

Now that Belva Lockwood has acknowledged herself the mother of Prohibition, would it be out of place to ask who the other parent might be?

ELECTIONS in the four new States this fall will not have much significance as to national politics, so many local issues, notably those regarding location of State capitals, county seats, and so forth, being involved in the canvasses.

QUEEN VICTORIA knows how to pay a compliment, and she has the faculty as well of finding out where it is deserved. In her compliment to Inventor Edison she reveals both the one faculty and the other. Edison will prize and leave as an heirloom to his family the phonograph into which the Queen had spoken.

IN the opinion of the Cleveland Press, "one of the stars on the American flag is growing dim. Nevada, which in 1870 cast 19,091 votes, in 1888 cast but 12,596. Her population has fallen off to about 40,000 and the process of depopulation is constantly going on. But Nevada will never become a howling wilderness as long as those two seats in the United States senate are spared to her."

THE difficulty in the eleventh senatorial district is likely to result disastrously to the Republicans unless the matter is fixed up harmoniously. The enemy will not miss an opportunity like this, and Senator Cowgill might be succeeded by a Democrat. Although Marion county Republicans can not furnish a parallel in particulars, it has had experience in letting the plums get away.

THE City of Paris has again steamed into port a victor She has completely smashed the best transatlantic record for eastward voyages by making the trip from Sandy Hook to Roche's Point, at the entrance to Queenstown harbor, in five days, twenty-three hours and forty minutes. No other vessel has ever made the voyage in less than six day's time. On this trip the fleet Inman liner eclipsed the best previous record by forty nine minutes, which is thirty-three minutes behind the best time made on a westward voyage. There is nothing slow about the City of Paris.

WHILE many of the States permit women to vote in the election of school officers North Dakota will probably be the first to give woman the ballot and the same voting privileges accorded to men. At the constitutional convention it was agreed that the North Dakota legislature should have the power of giving women the ballot without submitting the matter to the people and there seems to be little reason to doubt that women suffrage will be one of the first experiments to be tried by the new State. Woman suffragists have battled for the voting privilege now for more than forty years and the use they will make of it in North Dakota will have a most important bearing on all the future of the ballot for women.

A PROPER comparison of the school enumeration of Marion with that of neighboring towns is quite gratifying. True, the last enumeration of school children showed only a total of 1622, but that was taken previous to the extension of the corporation limits, and excluded the large and increasing population of both East and West Marion. With the extension the increase, at a low estimate, would bring into the district about 1000, making the total number over 2,500, and placing Marion in the lead of all surrounding towns—Delaware, Galion, Kenton, Bucyrus—and more than double the figure which Upper Sandusky presents. So we are away ahead in population, and as to comparisons in other particulars it is useless to mention the advantages we enjoy over all rivals.

C. and A. Excursion Rates.

On August 20th, September 10th and 24th and October 8th, 1889, the Chicago and Atlantic railroad will sell round trip tickets at one limited first-class fare for the round trip, to all points in Arkansas, Southern Missouri, beyond and including Butler, Clinton and Springfield, except that tickets shall not be sold to Missouri River points in any case, to Texas, Indian Territory, New Mexico, Colorado, Montana, Wyoming, Utah, Idaho, Arizona and Dakota; to Nebraska and Kansas, except Missouri River points, to all points in Northwestern Iowa, west of Iowa Falls, Webster City, Wall Lake, Sioux City, Mason City and Sumner; to all points in Minnesota, west of Sleepy Eye, Winnebago City, Olivia, Lake Crystal, Belgrade, Morton, Little Falls and Wilmar. Tickets to be limited thirty days from day of sale.

The Ladies Delighted.

The pleasant effects and the perfect safety with which ladies may use the liquid fruit laxative, Syrup of Figs, under all conditions make it their favorite remedy. It is pleasing to the eye and to the taste, gentle, yet effectual in acting on the kidneys, liver and bowels.

Caledonia.

Oh for a few days of nice, warm summer weather. We Caledonians have donned our winter clothing, overcoats and all, but yet, we live in hopes of having a privilege of laying them aside again

Rev. Whitworth conducted the M. E. services in the Presbyterian church, Sunday. They will hold services in that church for three or four weeks until their church, which is being remodeled, is finished.

The Universalists, of this place, had services in the morning, afternoon and evening. Rev. Nash, the pastor, conducting them in the forenoon and evening and Rev. — preached in the afternoon. After the morning services the members spread a table on the church lawn and all were invited to sup with them. Immediately after the afternoon services the congregation repaired to the river, where the right of baptism by immersion was performed by Rev. Nash, assisted by Rev. Marggraf and the other reverend gentleman. About 400 or 500 were in attendance. The Mt. Gilead church and Sunday school were represented by fifty or sixty members. A grand, good gospel feast was enjoyed by all.

The Sandusky and Columbus railroad magnets passed through our place on a special train, drawn by two spanking bays, Tuesday, on their way to Delaware. They give us hopes for the road and are to send a man here to look up business and call a meeting of the citizens, between now and Sept. 1st. The line can be run through Caledonia with much less expense than by the Galion survey and we are pretty sure of getting it. Then besides that, everybody knows that Caledonia is of greater importance to a railroad than your little insignificant Galion. Farmers are already tendering the right-of-way and money besides on the road, and everybody knows that the citizens of the incorporated village of Caledonia will give all that is asked of them.

We would like to ask our honorable township trustees if either of them ever have occasion to travel on the road running north from the old Dix to'e yard to the new road? If so, did they ever notice that just after crossing the railroad northward they were compelled to go through a mire hole about three or four rods long that takes the wagon up to the hub? We have heard it said that some of the farmers in that neighborhood strap boards 12 feet long under their horses' bellies to keep them from sinking out of sight. At any rate, it does not look well for proud Claridon Tp., N. P., to have such roads, especially when we have plenty of tile within a mile of the place. Get a move on you gentleman, for we have other official plums in store for you.

Has anybody heard a word about the continuation of the gravel pike that so suddenly comes to an end at the corporation line, and compels those who come to our town in winter to wallow through mud 20 inches deep to get into town? We should stir this question up and discuss it thoroughly, with a view to getting the pike through town and to the county line before muddy roads come. Bring it down High street to Marion, thence east on Marion and the public road to the county line. There is plenty of time to build it yet if we only go to work at it. The way it is it is a shadow on the town. Let us have a pike meeting.

Joe Elan has been ailing for a week past Malaria, we believe, is the trouble.

Jim Bush came home sick from Cressinger's saw-mill, Tuesday. He has an attack malaria, but is improving.

Rev. Edward Marggraff is to preach at the Mt. Gilead Universalist church next Sunday.

Prof. Moran did not get a good audience Saturday evening, therefore he gave no concert.

The M. E. brethren pitch their ice cream tent every Saturday evening, and when it's chilly they furnish overcoats and wraps and a hot stove to sit on.

R. J. Montoe went to Marion on Monday to take possession of the interest he recently purchased in the feed store formerly belonging to Williams & Gurley. The firm is now Gurley & Monroe. We hate to see Dick go, as he has been a good citizen, and Marion will find him to be such. He will remove his family later.

W. A. Clemons lost a valuable horse last week from blood poisoning, caused by running a nail in its foot.

The Red Stockings went over to Mt Gilead on Thursday and did the Gilead boys up in another game of ball by a score of 16 to 11. We understand that the Prospect club is coming up next week to get beat, and now if Marion would have the sand to come over we'd do them up and our glory would be complete.

W. S. Ramer has received papers of instruction to study the mail route system, preparatory for an examination. Scott will get it down if anyone can.

Melvin Rice is now head sawyer for Jno Crissinger.

Charles Ruth and family visit relatives and friends here Sunday and Monday.

Mrs. John Crissinger and Mrs. Scranton drove over here from Marion on Sunday.

Ludwig Brothers have the roof of the stone on the ground, and will soon have them sidewalk completed

Dr. J. A. Francis is home again from a professional trip

August 16. CALEB.

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In the manufacture of agricultural implements (81 operatives, with machinery, including eighteen classes of wage earners, do the work of 2,115 wage earners without machinery, displacing 1,545 workers.

WHAT INVENTION HAS DONE.

In making bread boxes three workers can do the work of thirteen box makers by old methods.

In cutting out clothing and cloth caps with dies one worker does the work of three by old methods.

In leather manufacture modern methods have reduced the necessary number of workers from 5 to 50 per cent.

A carpet measuring and brushing machine with one operator will do the work of fifteen men by the old methods.

In the manufacture of flour modern improvements save 75 per cent. of the manual labor that once was necessary.

In making tin cans one man and a boy, with modern appliances, can do the work of ten workers by the old process.

By the use of coal mining machines 100 miners in a month can mine as much coal in the same time as 500 miners by the old methods.

One boy, by machinery, in turning wood work and materials for musical instruments, performs the work of twenty-five men by the old methods.

In the manufacture of boots and shoes the work of 500 operatives is now done by 100, a displacement of wage earners of 80 per cent. by aid of machinery.

In nailing on shoe heels one worker and a boy, with machinery, can heel 200 pairs of shoes per day. It would require five workers to do the same by hand.

The horse power of steam used in the United States on railways, steamers and in factories and mines was, in 1889, 12,100,000 against 1,610,000 in 1850.

In stave dressing twelve colaborers, with a machine, can dress 12,000 staves in the same time that the same number of workers by hand could dress 2,500 staves.

In the cotton mills in the United States the manual labor has been reduced about 50 per cent. Now one weaver manages from two to ten looms, where one loom was formerly tended by one worker

In the manufacture of brick improved devices save one tenth of the labor, and in the manufacturing of fire brick 40 per cent. of the manual labor is displaced.

In the manufacture of carriages it used to take one man thirty-five days to make a carriage. It is now made by the aid of machinery with the work of one man twelve days.

The introduction of machinery in the manufacture of children's shoes during the last thirty years has displaced six times the manual labor now required, and the product of manufacture has been reduced 50 per cent. to the consumer.

In the manufacture of wall paper one worker, by the aid of machinery, does the work of 100 workers by manual labor, and in cutting and drying paper by machinery four men and six girls do the work of 300 operators by old methods.

In manufacturing gun stocks one man by manual labor was able to turn and fit one gun stock in one day of ten hours, while three men now by a division of labor and the use of machinery can turn and fit 125 to 150 gun stocks in ten hours. This displaces the work of forty-four to forty-nine wage workers.

Claridon-Adelaide.

Miss May Clendenen, aged 18 years, after a protracted illness with consumption, died on Wednesday at 4 o'clock p.m. Miss Clendenen was an estimable young lady and her demise is sorely lamented by her many friends. Her remains will be buried at Marion on Friday.

Mrs. Lydia Knapp, of Marion, a most estimable lady, has been spending a week at Dr. Devore's.

Prof. Hyde of Lincoln, Ill., is the guest of his cousin, W. S. Aye.

Master Ray Hinds, of Marion, spent Sunday in Adelaide.

Gertie Aye is visiting her grandfather, W. S. Aye.

Lowie Smith, who is attending a commercial school at Cleveland, is spending a week at home.

Mr. and Mrs. James Durbin, of Fredricktown, visited Mrs. Rattie Smith on Sunday last.

An infant son of Mr. and Mrs. C. R. Mercer, of Edison, died on Tuesday last. The many friends of this community sympathize with the parents in their sad bereavement.

Mrs. Dr. Devore and Mrs. Knapp spent Tuesday and Wednesday near Iberia, the guests of the McKinstry family.

There is a special excursion to Presque Ile Park on Saturday next. It is a Sunday school excursion, gotten up by Rev. Ashbaugh, of Edison.

Now we are promised a railroad beyond a shadow of doubt. Isn't it strange?

August 15. X.

Reception to Secretary Tracy.

BAR HARBOR, Me., Aug. 16.—An informal reception was given Secretary Tracy and his daughter, Mrs. Wilmerding, on board the revenue cutter Dispatch, last night, about fifty personal friends being present. Secretary Blaine, accompanied by his daughter, Harriett Congressman Morse and Mrs. Lieut. Mason assisted in receiving.

Mistook a Man for a Woodchuck.

WARREN, Pa., Aug. 16.—Otto Peterson was lying in the bushes near here last night watching for a woodchuck when Ed. Simmons came along, and seeing Peterson's head in the brush, fired at it, thinking it was a woodchuck. The ball passed through Peterson's head, killing him instantly.

Knocked Out by a Negro.

SAN FRANCISCO, Aug 16 The fight to a finish, Queensberry rules, for a purse of $800 between Charles Turner, colored, of Stockton, Cal., and Paddy Gorman, of Australia, Wednesday night was won by Turner in eight rounds.

Home-Made Wines.

A. Ritzhaupt is prepared to deliver his famous home made wines to any part of Marion. These wines are of his own make, are pure and are highly recommended by physicians for medicinal use. He has Catawba, Concord, Delaware, Elwely and other brands. Give them a trial. Call at his cellar at residence if you desire to select. [11-10]

Another Hotel Tragedy.

Miss Crimple (to clerk of the Snake Creek house)—Will you please send the porter to our room, Mr. Bigstud?

Clerk—Yes, ma'am; anything wrong?

Miss Crimple—Papa just shot a mosquito and we would like Patrick to carry it out.—Munsey's Weekly.

Effects of the Trotting Season.

Obsequious Barber—Won't you step inside, sir?

Young Scrimpleigh (forced to practice a heroic system of economy)—Hold on a minute! (To himself.) Let's see; do I get a hair cut or a lunch today?—Drake's Magazine.

Caution to Mothers.

Every mother is cautioned against giving her child laudanum or paregoric; it creates an unnatural craving for stimulants which kills the mind or the child. Acker's Baby Soother is specially prepared to benefit children and cure their pains. It is harmless and contains no Opium or Morphine. Sold by H C Hoberman & Co.

Shot Down in the Street.

LYONS, Iowa, Aug. 15.—H. G. Stone shot Dr. Hitchcock on the streets of Comanche, Iowa, yesterday. The assassin fired four shots, one of which took effect in the back of the victim, inflicting wounds which may prove fatal. Both are well known citizens, and no cause for the assault is known.

Five Men to Be Hanged at One Time.

NEW YORK, Aug. 14.—The death watch has been placed by the sheriff on the five women murderers in the Tombs. The men are Lewis, Beckenham, Nolan, Giblin and Carolin who are sentenced to be hanged together, Aug. 23. Under Sheriff Sexton took charge of the ceremony.

Mrs. Theirs, St. Marys St., Indianapolis, Ind., says: My little boy was badly afflicted with Salt Rheum, his face badly broken out and a large sore on his head. Your Extract of Red Clover cured him in three weeks.

Sold in Marion, O., by W. B. Foye, Druggist.

Are You Skeptical?

If so we will convince you that Acker's English Remedy for the lungs is superior to all other preparations, and is a positive cure for all Throat and Lung troubles, Croup, Whooping Cough and Colds. We guarantee the preparation Sold by H C. Hoberman & Co

Council of Redmen.

AUBURN, N. Y., Aug 14 The twenty-first annual session of the Improved Order of Redmen commenced in this city yesterday. About 200 delegates, representing over one hundred tribes, are in attendance The report of the great council officers show the order is in a very prosperous condition having a membership of between 6,000 and 7,000 in the state.

Tascott Not in the Michigan Pen.

JACKSON, Mich., Aug. 14.—Warden Hatch, of the state penitentiary, denies that Tascott is confined in this prison. The report was purely the imagination of the fertile brain of a space writer Tascott never was in Jackson so far as known to the authorities.

—Dr. B. Mincer, the eminent optician, of Detroit, Mich., who is now a resident of Marion, will visit every town in this county. Any one suffering with weak eyes, or eyes abused by inferior glasses, should not fail to see him. Orders left at the postoffice will be promptly attended to. No extra charge for examination or visiting patients at their home. On Saturdays and Sundays he can be found in his office at residence, No. 25, Silver street 164dtw.

A Duty to Yourself.

It is surprising that people will use a common ordinary pill when they can secure a valuable English one for the same money. Dr Acker's English pills are a positive cure for sick-headache and all liver troubles. They are small, sweet, easily taken and do not gripe. Sold by H. C. Hoberman & Co.

A philosopher has always observed that in public bodies married men are invariably the best debaters. They may not have a chance to talk much at home, but they have one sampled opportunities to observe and learn.

J. M. Loose Red Clover Co.—Gents: Please find enclosed $1 for one bottle Loose's Red Clover Extract. I used it last fall for diabetis and am entirely cured. My daughter wants to take it as a spring medicine. I think it is a wonderful medicine Yours Truly,
JOHN KNAGGS.

Sold in Marion, O., by W. B. Foye, Druggist.

Pimples on the Face

Denote an impure state of the blood and are looked upon by many with suspicion Acker's Blood Elixir will remove all impurities and leave the complexion smooth and clear There is nothing that will so thoroughly build up the constitution, purify and strengthen the whole system. Sold and guaranteed by H. C Hoberman & Co

A western rural in answer to an advertisement in an eastern paper sent 75 cents to learn how to make $100 a month without work and received the following post reply: "Fish for suckers like we do. So long."

Suppressing Dandies.

A Chinese provincial governor has recently forbidden the young men under his jurisdiction to wear gorgeously colored and embroidered garments, a practice which he declares to be foolish and unmanly, and he warns fathers, elder brothers and tutors that they will be held responsible for any inordinate luxury of apparel on the part of the youngsters. What would that governor say to the American dandies who are trying to introduce the fashion of wearing colored velvet coats?—Boston Transcript.

Is Life Worth Living?

Not if you go through the world a dyspeptic. Acker's Dyspepsia Tablets are a positive cure for the worst forms of Dyspepsia, Indigestion, Flatulency and Constipation. Guaranteed and sold by H. C. Hoberman & Co.

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MARION COUNTY BANK

CAPITAL, - - - - $100,000 00,

Add to the cash capital the individual liabilities of

J. S. REED, E. H. JOHNSON, HENRY TRUE,

And you have the strongest bank, for its conservative business, as well as the oldest, in the State.

Depositors accommodated in all weather at legal interest. Long paper bought. Drafts on any part of Europe. Regular banking on our own means out of the reach of panics. Fifty years under the same management.

HENRY TRUE, Cashier.

Proposed Amendment to the Constitution of Ohio.

LEGISLATIVE SINGLE DISTRICTS.

AMENDMENT NO. 2.

SECTION 1. Be it resolved by the General Assembly of the State of Ohio, That a proposition shall be submitted to the electors of this state on the first Tuesday after the first Monday in November, 1889, to amend Sections 1 to 11, inclusive, of Article XI, of the Constitution of the State of Ohio, so they shall read as follows

ARTICLE XI.

SEC. 1. The apportionment for members of the General Assembly shall be made every ten years, prior to the first election for members of the General Assembly in each decennial period, in the manner hereinafter provided.

SEC. 2. During the month of February prior to the first election for members of the General Assembly, in each decennial period, the members of the Senate and House of Representatives representing the two leading political parties respectively, shall meet in separate bodies, and each of said bodies shall designate two electors, who shall forthwith be appointed by the Governor, and such four electors so designated and appointed shall constitute a commission, who shall ascertain and determine the ratio of representation for members of the House of Representatives and senators, the number of representatives to which each county is entitled, and the boundaries of each senatorial district. Should any vacancy occur in such commission, the senators of the party making the original designation shall, within ten days thereafter, designate an elector to fill such vacancy, and he shall forthwith be appointed by the Governor.

SEC. 3. The population of the state, as ascertained by the preceding Federal census, or in such other manner as the General Assembly shall direct, shall be divided by the number "one hundred and ten," and the quotient shall be the ratio of representation in the House of Representatives for the ten years succeeding such apportionment.

SEC. 4. Each county shall be entitled to at least one representative; each county containing such ratio, and one half over, shall be entitled to two representatives; each county containing two and one-half times such ratio shall be entitled to three representatives, and so on.

SEC. 5. Each county entitled to more than one representative shall be divided by such commission into as many districts as there are representatives apportioned to such county, and one representative shall be chosen from each district.

SEC. 6. Each representative district, in counties entitled to more than one representative, shall be composed of compact territory, and bounded by ward or township lines, and as nearly equal in population as practicable, and each of such districts shall be numbered.

SEC. 7. The state shall be divided into not less than thirty-five nor more than forty senatorial districts, as herein provided, and each district shall choose one senator.

SEC. 8. The ratio for a senator shall be ascertained by dividing the population of the state by the number "thirty-five."

SEC. 9. Each senatorial district shall be composed of compact territory, as nearly equal in population as practicable, and except as to districts in counties entitled to two or more senators shall be bounded by county lines.

SEC. 10. Each county having a population equal to three-fourths of one senatorial ratio shall constitute a senatorial district. Each county having a population equal to one senatorial ratio, and one-half over, shall be divided into two senatorial districts. Each county having a population equal to two and one-half ratios shall be divided into three senatorial districts, and so on; but no ward or township shall be divided in the formation of a senatorial district.

SEC. 11. The apportionment so made for members of the General Assembly shall be reported to the Governor, by such commission, within three months after their appointment, and the same shall be published in such manner as shall be provided by law.

SECTION 2. At such election those electors desiring to vote for such amendment shall have placed upon their ballots the words "Legislative Single Districts, Yes," and those opposed to such amendment shall have placed upon their ballots the words "Legislative Single Districts—No."

ELBERT L. LAMPSOM,
Speaker of the House of Representatives.

THEO. F. DAVIS,
President pro tem. of the Senate.

Adopted April 9th, 1889.

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA, OHIO, } OFFICE OF THE SECRETARY OF STATE. }

I, Daniel J. Ryan, secretary of state of the State of Ohio, do hereby certify that the foregoing is a true copy of a joint resolution adopted by the General Assembly of the State of Ohio, on the 9th day of April, A. D. 1889, taken from the original rolls filed in this office.

In testimony whereof, I have hereunto subscribed my name, and affixed my official seal, at Columbus, the 10th day of April, A. D. 1889.

[SEAL.] DANIEL J. RYAN,
Secretary of State.

School Examinations.

THE School Examiners of Marion County, Ohio, will meet for the examination of teachers

AUGUST 24TH,
SEPTEMBER 14TH,
SEPTEMBER 28TH,
OCTOBER 12TH,
OCTOBER 26TH,
NOVEMBER 9TH.

Examination will commence at 9 a.m., and no application will be received after 10 a.m. All examinations will be written, and positively no private examinations will be granted. A fee of 50 cents will be charged on admission to the examination, and each applicant will furnish an envelope, stamped and addressed to him or herself, in which a certificate or notice of failure will be forwarded. Applicants will be graded on a scale of 10. No certificate will be granted when the grade in any branch of study falls below 7. An average of

7 secures a Certificate for 1 year,
8 " " 2 years,
8½ " " 3 years,
9½ " " 4 years,
10 " " 5 years.

Four terms' experience also will be necessary in order to obtain No. 1 and two terms to obtain No. 2. A knowledge of the theory and practice of teaching, special preparations for the work, and success in the school room will also have an influence in determining the class of certificate.

LEWIS RANCH,
B. G. YOUNG,
W. A. SAGER, } Examiners.

Local Time Card.

Following is the time of arrival of and departure of trains at and from the several depots in this city, according to the latest changes.

ERIE.

EAST.		WEST.	
No. 4	10 50 a. m.	No. 12	4 30 a. m.
No. 97	9 20 a. m.	No. 4	12 45 p. m.
No. 3	12 21 p. m.	No. 8	2 40 p. m.
No. 5	11 40 p. m.	No. 6	6 20 p. m.

B. & O.

WEST.		EAST.	
No. 1	1 24 a. m.	No. 8	2 25 a. m.
No. 3	10 23 a. m.	No. 10	8 38 a. m.
No. 5	3 09 p. m.	No. 2	2 22 p. m.
No. 7	9 15 p. m.	No. 6	10 40 p. m.
Local	9 00 a. m.	Local	2 27 p. m.

C., H. V. AND T.

SOUTH.		NORTH.	
No. 1	12 16 p. m.	No. 2	8 50 a. m.
No. 3	6 05 a. m.	No. 4	1 05 p. m.
No. 5	5 38 p. m.	No. 6	5 35 p. m.

C. AND A.

WEST.		EAST.	
No. 1	8 00 a. m.	No. 8	6 05 p. m.
No. 3	12 55 p. m.	No. 10	5 35 p. m.
No. 8	11 20 p. m.	No. 12	1 10 a. m.
No. 15	8 00 p. m.	No. 18	11 55 a. m.

MASSILLON COAL

THE BEST in the MARKET.

AT

Prendergast's.

G. T. HARDING, M. D., will continue the practice of medicine in Marion and vicinity. Ladies who wish to consult with their own sex will find Mrs. Harding at the office from 2 to 5 p. m. Office over STAR office.

DOXSEE'S PURE CLAM JUICE!

A Natural Medicine, an Agreeable, Not a Nauseous Dose.

"Throw physic to the dogs."
—Shakespeare or Bacon?

INVIGORATING and appetizing if taken cold before eating in the morning. It tones up the system, settles a disordered stomach A gentle, but sure cathartic. If a matutinal cocktail must be indulged in, it will counteract its bad effects as to stomach and brain. An absolute and sure preventitive of sea sickness. Its components are closely allied to the gastric juices of the stomach.

An Antidote to Intoxicants.

IF taken regularly, fresh and cold, three times a day, before each meal, it will put the stomach in such a shape that the necessity for stimulants will not be felt, and excessive desire can be toned down to simple moderation I shall keep Clam Juice constantly on hand to be served FREE, hot or cold, to my customers Knowing positively from experience that it will do all that is claimed for it above, I will try in every way to promote its use, as it is not my wish to encourage excessive drinking, and if I can discourage it by giving away freely the only known antidote I will only be too glad to do so.

Have also for sale Buckingham whisky, old Maryland rye fully matured, seven years old, the best in the country.

ENGLISH KITCHEN,
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SALE OF BONDS

Village of Marion, Ohio.

SEALED proposals will be received by the Council of the Village of Marion, County of Marion, Ohio, until 12 o'clock (noon) on Monday, August 19th, 1889, for the sale of Nineteen Bonds of said Village. Said bonds are issued for the purpose of paying the indebtedness incurred in the grading and mecadamizing certain streets in said Village of Marion, Ohio, and in pursuance of the laws of the State of Ohio and an Ordinance of said Village. Bonds will be issued, as provided in Sections 1 and 2 of the Ordinance creating the same, passed July 3d, A. D. 1889, to-wit:

One bond for $250 00, due in one year from date, bearing interest at the rate of six per cent. per annum, payable annually, for the purpose of improving Jefferson street from the north line of Center street to the south line of the right of way of the C., C., C., and I. railroad.

One bond for $750.00, due in one year from date, bearing interest at the rate of six per cent. per annum, payable annually, for the purpose of improving Patterson street from the north line of Quarry street to the north corporation line.

One bond for the sum of $750.00, due in two years from date, bearing interest at the rate of six per cent. per annum, payable annually, for the purpose of improving Canal street from the west line of Windsor street to the east line of Park boulevard.

One bond for $500 00, due in two years from date, bearing interest at the rate of six per cent. per annum, payable annually, for the purpose of improving South Main street from the south line of Pleasant street to the north line of Sulter street.

One bond for the sum of $1,000 00 due in four years from date, bearing interest at the rate of six per cent. per annum, payable annually, for the purpose of improving South Main street from the south line of Pleasant street to the north line of Sulter street.

One bond for the sum of $1,500.00, due in five years from date, bearing interest at the rate of six per cent. per annum, payable annually, for the purpose of improving West Center street from Oak street to the C., H. V. and T. railroad.

One bond for the sum of $1,000.00, due in six years from date, bearing interest at the rate of six per cent. per annum, payable annually, for the purpose of improving West Center street from Oak street to the C., H. V. and T. railroad.

One bond for the sum of $1,000.00, due in seven years from date, bearing interest at the rate of six per cent. per annum, payable annually, for the purpose of improving West Center street from Oak street to the C., H. V. and T. railroad.

One bond for the sum of $1,000.00, due in eight years from date, bearing interest at the rate of six per cent. per annum, payable annually, for the purpose of improving West Center street from Oak street to the C., H. V. and T. railroad.

One bond for the sum of $1,000.00, due in nine years from date, bearing interest at the rate of six per cent. per annum, payable annually, for the purpose of improving West Center street from Oak street to the C., H. V. and T. railroad.

One bond for the sum of $1,000.00, due in ten years from date, bearing interest at the rate of six per cent per annum, payable annually, for the purpose of improving West Center street from Oak street to the C., H. V. and T. railroad.

One bond for the sum of $1,000.00, due in three years from date, bearing interest at the rate of six per cent. per annum, payable annually, for the purpose of improving north Main street from the Erie railroad to the Garden City pike.

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One bond for the sum of $1,000.00, due in eleven years from date, bearing interest at the rate of six per cent. per annum, payable annually, for the purpose of improving north Main street from the Erie railroad to the Garden City pike.

One bond for the sum of $1,000.00, due in twelve years from date, bearing interest at the rate of six per cent. per annum, payable annually, for the purpose of improving north Main street from the Erie railroad to the Garden City pike.

One bond for the sum of $1,000.00, due in thirteen years from date, bearing interest at the rate of six per cent. per annum, payable annually, for the purpose of improving north Main street from the Erie railroad to the Garden City pike.

One bond for the sum of $1,000.00, due in fourteen years from date, bearing interest at the rate of six per cent. per annum, payable annually, for the purpose of improving north Main street from the Erie railroad to the Garden City pike.

One bond for the sum of $1,000.00, due in fifteen years from date, bearing interest at the rate of six per cent. per annum, payable annually, for the purpose of improving north Main street from the Erie railroad to the Garden City pike.

All of the above described bonds to be dated September 1st, 1889. And for the payment of the principal and interest on said several bonds the faith and credit of the corporation is hereby pledged.

No bids will be received for said bonds at less than par value of the same, and the right to reject any and all bids is reserved. Bids should be marked, "Proposals for Bonds," and should be address ed to the undersigned. Proposals will be opened and bids awarded at the office of the Mayor of said village, in Fahey's block, Marion, Ohio, on the date herein above mentioned.

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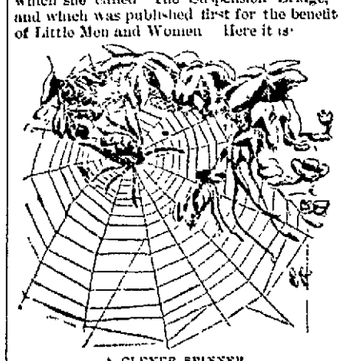
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One summer day Minnie wrote a story which she called "The Suspension Bridge," and which was published first for the benefit of Little Men and Women. Here it is:



A CLEVER SPINNER.

Yesterday as I was going to take a drink I found a spider in the glass. I told my teacher and she said I might let it be and she would show us something. She sent Stella after some water. Then she took a dish, filled it with water, and set the glass in the middle of it.

"Now," said she, "this spider can get away without wetting its feet."

We could not think how the spider could possibly do that. We tried to guess, but she said it would neither jump nor swim. As it had no wings, of course it could not fly. It kept crawling round in the glass. Finally it came clear up to the top. Then it began to go round and round the rim of the glass. We kept watch, but it did not come across.

The teacher said it might not come for ten minutes, and that we could study our spelling with one eye, and keep the other eye on the spider. So we began to study, and every little while we would look up at the spider.

All of a sudden Allie called out that it was across! and sure enough, there it was, running away!

We do not know just how the spider did it. But it must have spun a thread and let it float across the water till it caught the edge of the dish. Then it ran over on the suspension bridge it had made.

Animals That See Both Ways.

Golden Days tells how nature has enabled some animals to see objects behind them as well as in front without turning around. In insects this is noticeably true. Approach a fly over so carefully from behind and notice how it sees your movements.

The hare has this power in a marked degree. Its eyes are large, prominent and placed laterally. Its power of seeing things in the rear is very noticeable in greyhound coursing, for though this dog is mute while running, the hare is able to judge to a nicety the exact moment at which it will be best for it to double.

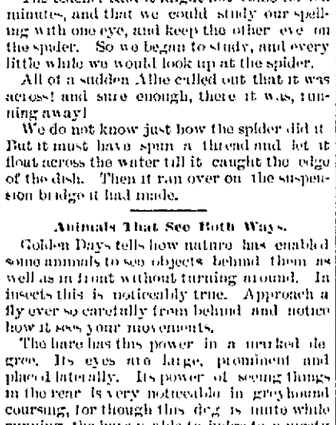
Horses are another instance. It is only necessary to watch a horse driven invariably without blinkers to notice this. Take, for instance, those on the horsecar lines. Let the driver even attempt to take the whip in hand, and if the horse is used to the work he will at once increase his pace.

The giraffe, which is a very timid animal, is approached with the utmost difficulty, on account of its eyes being so placed that it can see as well behind as in front.

An Unfortunate Visitor.

"Good woman, is your master in?"
Said Mr. So-and-So;
"No, sir, my master has gone out,
He went an hour ago."

"Alas! I am so vexed, but stay
The ladies can I see?"
"The ladies, too, are out," she cried;
"There's no one left but me."



THE COOL RECEPTION.

"How sad!" the visitor exclaimed;
"But seeing I have come,
I'll scat me by your master's fire
And wait till he gets home."

The maiden looked aghast, then said
"Oh, sir, I feel for you,
For, if the truth I now must tell
The fire has gone out too."

Ages of Reigning Monarchs.

Following are the ages of various reigning monarchs ranging from the oldest to the youngest:

The king of the Netherlands, aged 72, the king of Denmark, aged 71, Queen Victoria, aged 70; king of Wurtemberg, aged 66, the emperor of Brazil, aged 63, the king of Saxony, aged 61, the king of Sweden and Norway, aged 60, the emperor of Austria, aged 58; the king of the Belgians, aged 56, the king of Portugal, aged 50, the king of Roumania, aged 50; the sultan of Turkey, aged 46; the king of Italy, aged 45, the czar of Russia, aged 41; the king of the Hellenes, aged 33, the king of Bavaria, aged 11, the king of Siam, aged 35; the German emperor, aged 30; the emperor of China, aged 17, the king of Servia, aged 12, and the king of Spain, aged 3.

A Precocious Boy.

At a village school a precocious boy, being asked to parse the sentence, "Mary, milk the cow," went on accurately till he came to the last word, when he said.

"Cow is a pronoun, feminine gender, third person singular, and stands for Mary."

"Stands for Mary?" asked the master, in astonishment.

"Yes, sir," responded the urchin, with a grin; "for if the cow didn't stand for Mary, how could Mary milk the cow?"

Susan Jane a-Berrying Goes.

Now Susan Jane a-berrying goes,
With her dipper and pail a-berrying goes—
Now Susan Jane creeps dolefully home and mournfully hangs her head;
For she tumbled down and bumped her nose,
She tore her frock and she stubbed her toes,
And the blueberries all were green, alas! and the blackberries all were red!

—Wide Awake

THE CURIOSITY SHOP.

Caterpillars Capture a Railroad Train They Are Aided by Mosquitoes.

A big engine and eleven flat cars, the Canadian Pacific's first train for business, started from Sebois for Brownville on the morning of May 19. It ran into a sticky, squirming mess, which the locomotive wheels ground into a greasy pulp that clogged the driving wheels and prevented them from getting any grip on the track. The train came to a standstill, and the conductor and engineer made an investigation. "Pooh!" said the engineer, "bugs!" They jumped aboard after a little scraping and tried to start again, but it was no use. The bugs were too much for them. As far as the eye could reach, the little caterpillars were in complete possession of the track. The train was in the midst of the woods. "Cut bushes and try to sweep them off," said the conductor to the train men. All hands tried it, but the bushes crushed the pulpy mass, and only smeared the track worse than ever. Sand was then sprinkled on the rails. This enabled the engine to start, but the caterpillars soon greased the rails again and the train halted.

A messenger was dispatched to the Sebois station, and the situation telegraphed to the manager of the road. He sent an extra locomotive and a crew of helpers to the assistance of the beleaguered train. With a force of men scraping and sanding, with an engine to pull and another to push, the train crept through the woods at a snail's pace. And now, queerly enough, a new enemy rallied to the support of the caterpillars. A vast horde of large and ferocious mosquitoes came out of the depths of the forest and assailed the road men. Charge after charge was made at the steep grades lubricated with squeezed caterpillars. All day and long after the sun had gone down, the locomotives and men toiled to drag that train from Sebois to Brownville. The myriads of caterpillars covered the rails for eleven miles. When the train reached its destination at last it bore the most exhausted and disgusted crew ever seen in America outside of a blizzard.

How Stars Are Photographed.

The method of photographing stars is interesting. When the photographer places in the focus of the telescope a highly sensitive photographic plate the vibrations of the rays of light throw themselves assiduously on the plate and steadily apply to the task of shaking asunder the molecules of silver salts in the gelatine film. Just as the waves of ocean by incessantly beating against a shore will gradually wear away the mightiest cliffs of the toughest rock, so the innumerable millions of waves of light persistently impinging upon a single point of the plate will at length effect the necessary decomposition and so engrave the image of the star. It will be obvious that this process will be the more complete the longer the exposure is permitted, and thus we see one of the reasons why photography forms such an admirable method of depicting the stars.

We can give exposures of many minutes, or of one, two, three or four hours, and all the time the effect is being gradually accumulated. Hence it is that a star which is altogether too feeble to produce an impression upon the most acute eye, fortified by a telescope of the utmost power, may yet be competent when a sufficient exposure has been allowed to leave its record on the plate. Thus it is that photographs of the heavens disclose to us the existence of stars which could never have been detected except for this cumulative method of observation that photography is competent to give. No telescope is required, as the photographic apparatus takes the exact impression.

A Fatal Superstition.

There is a superstition among the lower classes that whoever possesses himself of a rope with which a person has been hanged or has hanged himself is certain to come in for a piece of good luck. A young woman living in the Montmartre quarter, Paris, committed suicide a short time ago, and a neighbor helped to cut her down, but she was dead, so he consoled himself by putting a bit of the hemp with which the deed had been done into his pocket, with the firm conviction that he would hear in a day or two that he had come into a colossal fortune. He would be a millionaire and would devote his life to enjoying himself instead of carrying bundles on his back for a few paltry francs per diem; but the fortune did not come.

He came to America and to Louisville to seek it. Perhaps it is even now on the way, but the man was impatient. Then there was the lucky piece of rope. He would not take his eyes off it. He kept it in his pocket, and in the intervals between his errands he pulled it out and meditated upon it. From the fortune his thoughts at last began to dwell on suicide. The memory of the deceased girl haunted him; and the other day, as his wife returned home, she found her husband hanging in their room dead, with the fatal bit of hemp in his pocket. He had kept it by him to the last.

The Surface of Mars.

Through the agency of the Lick telescope the surface of the planet Mars has been mapped out with additional clearness. The canals, which can be very plainly seen, lie in the torrid, and warmer portions of the temperate, zone and extend from the Northern to the Southern ocean. They are in general 2,000 or 3,000 miles in length and over 30 miles in breadth. They are generally arranged in pairs 200 or 300 miles apart, and so exactly parallel that usually no deviation can be detected. They cut up the continent surface so there is no spot more than 400 miles distant from one of these markings. There is still much surmise as to whether these assumed canals are artificial or natural. It is argued that they cannot be artificial because of their great width, but, on the other hand, it is equally inconceivable that the forces of nature could by the laws of accident have constructed such an intricate system of marking and observed an equal width in every case. The late Professor Proctor suggested that the canals are the diffracted images of rivers, produced by mists which hang over the river beds.

Flying Fish.

There is no particular fish called the flying fish. The name is given to all those fishes which have the pectoral fins so very large that by means of them they are sustained in short seeming flights in the air. They are often met with in the tropics. But do fish fly at all? At a recent meeting of the Physiological society, Berlin, Professor Moebius spoke on the movements of the flying fish through the air. As a result of a detailed investigation the speaker said he had proved that these fish do not fly since the anatomical arrangements of their fins and muscles are not adapted to this purpose. What really occurs is that when frightened by the approach of a ship or an enemy, they shoot up out of the water, as do so many other fish, and are then carried along by the wind.

The Bamboo Tree.

The bamboo tree does not blossom until it attains its thirtieth year, when it produces seed profusely and then dies. It is said that a famine was prevented in India in 1812 by the sudden flowering of the bamboo tree, when 50,000 people resorted to the jungles to gather the seed for food.

The Evidence of Things Seen.

A Boston child, being taken for the first time to the beach, became very much interested in the crowds of bathers disporting in the water. Finally, as numbers of the bathers began to return to the bath houses, the child's sympathies became immediately aroused, and turning to her mother she said, sorrowfully: "They must be very poor folk, mamma; they've got so little clothes on."—Boston Budget.

The Very Thing.



Guest (to colored waiter)—See here! I can't cut this steak with this knife!

Colored Waiter—'Low me, sah, to lend you my razah, sah!—Boston Herald.

Let In.

Mrs. Aleet—If you should make a thousand dollars unexpectedly, Tom, would you give me that diamond pendant I've been looking at so long?

Mr. Aleet—Why, yes, dear.

Mrs. Aleet—Very well; I'll order it to-morrow. I stopped wanting that ivory finished piano today, and a thousand was just the price of it.—Judge.

Unpleasantly Suggestive.

An 8-year-old boy, whose superabundant animal spirits required an occasional check, was looking at some proofs of photographs of his mother which had just been sent home. There were two views, and the youngster was very decided in his preference for one over the other. "Why do you prefer that?" asked his mother. "Because," said he, "in the other one you look as if you meant it."—Boston Journal.

The Source of Knowledge.

Book Buyer—Got any second hand books to sell?

Maine Farmer—Got a brand new unabridged dictionary which the neighbors gave us at a surprise party last winter we'll sell cheap. It's a mighty useful book, but as our niece is coming from Boston to live with us we won't need it any longer.—Omaha World-Herald.

Knowledge Is Bliss.

Mrs. H. Arlem Flatte—I wanted to see that new play at the Downtown theatre to-night, but the critics say the play is a failure, and the weather reports say it is going to rain.

Mr. H. Arlem Flatte—Then let us go by all means. The play will be charming, and the weather delightful.—New York Weekly.

At the Manse.

Little Daughter—Papa sent me up to see if you could get along without him today. He wants to go hunting.

Museum Manager—No, indeed, we are booming the bearded lady as a strong attraction. He must come, for people expect to see her.—Omaha World-Herald.

The Usual Hearth.

"That's a fine desk, Browne."

"Yes; I flatter myself it's pretty good. Pigeon holes for everything—poems, paragraphs, short stories, etc., etc."

"I see you haven't one for ideas. You never have any of those, I suppose."—Harper's Bazar.

Unseemly Levity.

Walter—Oh, Mabel, I worship the very hair of your head. Give me one curl to recall this hour at some future time.

Mabel—Oh, I see—a sort of time lock.

Walter—A lock is a good thing to adore; that's why I want it.—Detroit Journal.

Wanted It Plain.

A little chap was very much afraid of thunder storms, and one night, when praying at his mother's knee, being somewhat fearful of an approaching storm, he said: "Please send us only plain rain this time, if it will do just as well."—Exchange.

Hunting Hens.

Forester (to old woman)—What are you doing out here in the woods?

Old Woman—I'm just prowling around so that if the master doesn't shoot anything he can say I scared the game away.—Texas Siftings.

In the Conservatory.

"What a delightfully cool place this is!"

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Cæsar Is Nowhere.

Mrs. Twiddle—I hear your fiance is rich. What is his business?

Mrs. Twaddle—He hasn't any. He doesn't have to work; he's a waiter at a Long Branch hotel.—Town Topics.

He Did Not Say.

Mrs. McCrackle (looking up from the paper)—Dhuleep Singh says he is one of the Sikhs.

Mr. McCrackle—Who are the other five?—Harper's Bazar.

The Doctors Agreed.

Skeptic—Did you ever know two doctors to agree? Medical Student (after reflection)—Yes; once. Skeptic—Where was it? Medical Student—At a post-mortem.—New York Weekly.

Many a Slip.

In the hammock slowly swinging,
Where the fireflies are winging,
Underneath the trees,
Sit a youth and maiden slender,
And with conversation tender
Warm the evening breeze.

He is telling of his passion,
Urging her, in lover fashion,
To become his wife.
She is listening, coy, unwilling,
But she doesn't miss a thrilling
Word, you bet your life!

So when, certain of his bliss, her
Lover forward bends to kiss her,
And will not desist,
With his arm around her stealing,
And his brown eyes, so appealing,
How can she resist?

But he misses the sweet token,
For before the words are spoken
That will seal his bliss—
Snap! the hammock rope is parted,
And the lovers—broken hearted—
Feel too mad to kiss.

—Somerville Journal.

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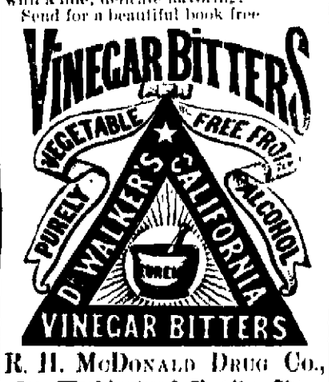
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EASTWARD.

	No. 8.	No. 10.	No. 12.	No. 16.
Lv. Chicago	10.45‡	7.50‡	7.20‡	5.45‡
" Archer Avenue	10 25	8.00	7.30	5.45
" Englewood	10 45	8.20	7.50	6.05
" Hammond	11.35	8.50	8.20	6.40
" Crown Point	....	9 23	8.50	7.15
" Kouts	.....	10.05	.....	7.58
" North Judson	.....	10 37	*9.37	8.35
" Rochester	1 36‡	11 44	11.01	.....
" Akron	.....	12 05‡	*11.21	.....
" Newton	2 03	12 30	11.42	No. 18
" Bolivar	.....	12 36	.....	.....
" Huntington	2.40	1 25	12.25‡	5.25‡
" Kingsland	.....	2 05	.....	*6.15
" Decatur	3.30	2 30	1.10	6.53
" Enterprise	.....	2 43	*1.50	7.43
" Spencerville	.....	2 55	2.14	8.24
" Lima	4.42	4 01	2.36	8.55
" Preston	.....	4 30	.....	*9.40
" Kenton	5.25	4 55	3.25	10.28
Ar. Marion	6.05	5 35	4.10	11.55
" New York	5.00	.....	7.00	.....
" Boston	10 10	.....	12 40‡	.....

WESTWARD.

	No. 1.	No. 3.	No. 5.	No. 17.
Lv. New York	.....	8 00‡	8 30‡	.....
" Boston	.....	8 30	5.00‡	.....
Lv. Marion	8 08‡	11 50	12 55	3 00‡
" Kenton	8 50	12.40‡	1.35	4.30
" Preston	9 17	.....	.....	*5.08
" Lima	9 45	1 10	2 10	5 45
" Spencerville	10.14	.....	.....	6 30
" Enterprise	10 45	.....	3 03	7.20
" Decatur	11 30	2 26	3 80	8.15
" Kingsland	11 48	.....	.....	8.40
" Huntington	12 35‡	3 25	4 25	10.00
" Bolivar	1 15	.....	.....	.....
" Newton	1 19	4 05	4.58	.....
" Akron	1 17	.....	.....	No. 15
" Rochester	2.48	4 45	5 38	.....
" North Judson	3 15	.....	.....	5 50‡
" Kouts	3 47	.....	.....	6.22
" Crown Point	4 40	.....	.....	7.15
" Hammond	5 10	7 25	8 00	8 09
" Englewood	5 41	7 55	8 30	8 35
" Archer Avenue	6 05	8 15	8 50	9 10
Ar. Chicago	6 15	8 25	9.00	9 10

Nos. 8, 1, 10, 3, 5 and 15 daily. Where time is not shown trains do not stop. Nos. 17 and 18 daily except Sunday. * stop on signal. ‡ p.m. Else a.m.

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TIME CARD.

Taking Effect May 12th, 1889.

(Central Time.)

NORTH BOUND.

River Division.	No. 3, daily except Sunday.	No. 7, mixed, daily except Sun
Leave Pomeroy	3 30 p m	5.00 a m
" Gallipolis	4.24 p m	6.45 a m
" McArthur Junct	5.58 p m	8.40 p m
Hocking Valley Division.	No. 1, daily	No. 3, daily
Leave Athens	7.00 a m	6.05 p m
" Logan	8.45 a m	7.20 p m
" Lancaster	8.58 a m	8.03 p m
Arrive Columbus	10.15 a m	9.25 p m
Toledo Division.	No. 1, daily ex. Sund.	No. 5, daily.	No. 9 daily.
Leave Columbus	10.35 a m	4.00 p m	4.30 a m
" Delaware	11.30 a m	4.58 p m	5.21 a m
" Prospect	11.55 a m	5.18 p m	5.45 a m
" MARION	12.10 p m	5.36 p m	6.05 a m
" Up. Sandusky	1.00 p m	6.30 p m	6.55 a m
" Carey	1.30 p m	6.50 p m	7.16 a m
" Fostoria	2.02 p m	7.22 p m	7.49 a m
Arrive Toledo	3.25 p m	8.40 p m	9.10 a m

SOUTH BOUND.

Toledo Division.	No. 6, daily.	No. 2, daily.	No. 4, daily ex. Sund
Leave Toledo	5.30 p m	5.00 a m	10.35 a m
" Fostoria	6.50 p m	6.20 a m	11.52 a m
" Carey	7.20 p m	6.45 a m	12.20 p m
" Up. Sandusky	7.55 p m	7.30 a m	12.55 p m
" MARION	8.35 p m	8.00 a m	1.33 p m
" Prospect	8.57 p m	8.28 a m	1.54 p m
" Delaware	9.24 p m	8.58 a m	2.20 p m
Arrive Columbus	10.20 p m	9.45 a m	3.10 p m
Hocking Valley Division.	No. 6, daily	No. 4 daily
Leave Columbus	8.00 a m	4.00 p m
" Lancaster	9.18 a m	5.28 p m
" Logan	10.08 a m	6.20 p m
Arrive Athens	11.15 a m	7.30 p m

River Division.	No. 6, daily except Sunday.	No. 10, mixed, daily except Sun
Leave McArthur Junct	12.05 p m	8.00 p m
" Gallipolis	1 41 p m	11.41 p m
Arrive Pomeroy	2.32 p m	1.15 a m

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TIME TABLE ADOPTED June 2, 1889.

Eastern Central Time, 25 minutes slower than Central Time.

Trains depart from Marion, O., as follows:

WESTWARD.	DEPART.
No. 1, Cincinnati express	10.50 a.m.
No. 7, Vestibule limited, daily	12.31 p.m.
No. 5, Cinti., Chi. & St. Louis Ex., daily	11.00 p.m.
No. 37, Local	9.20 a.m.
EASTWARD.	DEPART.
No. 12, New York and Boston Ex., daily	4.20 a.m.
No. 4, Chautauqua express	12.45 p.m.
No. 8, Vestibule limited, daily	6.20 p.m.
No. 38, Local	2.40 p.m.

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A line of Workingmen's Pants has come in also—well made and good styles—for a very low price. Woolen Pants, heavy weight and good styles, $2.50. A small lot of Children's and Boys' Pants are on the counter very cheap.

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L. B. GURLEY, dealer in all kinds of Coal. TO SAVE MONEY buy your winter supply now. Office N. of Jail.

CHASE & HUNTER

FOR RENT—House of five rooms and lot, near the Marion Manufacturing company's works. We have concluded not to sell this property at present, but wait the rapid rise in value that it is bound to make.

FOR TRADE—Lot worth $200 for trade for building material. See us at once.

FOR RENT—The Schwagler property, on north Main street.

FOR SALE—Nice place for a brick block; centrally located. Apply for price and terms by letter or in person.

FOR RENT.—The suite of rooms in True building occupied by L. C. Sanford. Call on H. True. [202

FOR RENT.—Four nice upstairs rooms, on north Main street. Inquire of D. B. Krause. 2326

FOR RENT.—Nicely furnished front room at No. 28 north East street.

—John Fahey returned home Thursday after a short stay at Columbus.

—Fanny Bartlett pears by the peck or bushel for canning. THEW & MANZ.

—Miss Tella Riley, of Mt. Gilead, is visiting in the city, the guest of C. E. Wyatt and family.

—Rev. Carter, of North Lewisburg, will fill the pulpit at the M. E. Church next Sunday.

—Miss Maud Hessing returned to her home at Columbus, Thursday, after a short visit in this city as the guest of Miss Jennie Terpany, on Bain avenue.

—Watermelons on ice at Moore & Dedrick's.

—Six pair of hose for 15 cents at The Model, until the removal.

—Will Waddel is spending a few days with friends at Delaware.

—M. H. Harraman is reported quite sick at his home in the South End.

—Sidney Baker is at Upper Sandusky on a few days' visit with relatives.

—Gents' underwear at 35 cents per suit at the Model. A great bargain!

—The latest in new hats at Jennie Thomas' Main street millinery house. [math

—If you want your goods promptly delivered leave your orders at Moore & Dedrick's.

—Mrs. Ed. Belcher and children are at Columbus on a short stay with friends and relatives.

—From now until Sept. 1st all millinery stock at Mrs. H. Thomas', will be sold at and below cost.

—Attend the special sales at The Model before the removal. Come and get goods at your own prices.

—Geo. Uhler resumed work at the C. and A. freight office this morning after a few days' lay off from duty.

—A dozen ties for ten cents at the Model, until the removal to south Main street, in Thew & Manz's old stand.

—S. L. Finch, of this city, has been appointed guard in the Ohio penitentiary, to succeed John Knode, resigned.

—Beef, veal, mutton, fish, pork, sausage, pudding and meats of all kinds for tomorrow's market at Jeff Osborne's.

—Our fancy Western Reserve celery can't be beat. We will have an extra large supply for tomorrow. THEW & MANZ.

—Mr. W. S. Frash, Miss Wallace, Mrs. Patten and Mrs. Boyd drove to Bucyrus today, accompanying Miss Bessie Wise to her home.

—Rev. James, of Richwood, will preach at the Regular Baptist church, on east street, Sunday morning at 11 o'clock and in the evening at 7:30. Everybody cordially invited to be present.

—The result of the Gun Club shoot at the grounds Thursday afternoon is as follows: Spaulding 21, Ridenbaugh 14, Bowers 19, Harraman 16, Kling 23, Frame 18, Fies 14, Payne 18, Kraner 15, Pinckney 18, Reese 13. Pinckney and Reese are from Galion and were the guests of the Club.

On August 22d the N. Y., L. E. and W. railroad will run an excursion to Niagara Falls and Toronto, Ontario. The rate from Marion to Niagara Falls and return, $4; from Marion to Toronto and return, $5; tickets good returning on or before August 27th. The train will leave Marion at 5:39 p. m.

—The tourists of the Ohio Division, L. A. W., arrived in the city Thursday evening and numbered only about thirty. A number had dropped out of the procession at Kenton and other points on the way from Dayton, and besides the state meeting was poorly attended this year. A fairly pleasant tour was experienced and the boys were agreeably entertained here by the local wheelmen. All departed homeward this morning.

Considerable excitement was created on Center street near the public square Thursday evening, by a pony attached to a top buggy belonging to Ben Herbster, of Prospect, indulged in a lively runaway. It became frightened at a passing bicycle and after running a short distance dashed into a bed of mortar at the new Fisher building where it fell and was captured by the bystanders. Some damage was done to the buggy and harness but the driver escaped uninjured.

—D. McWilliams sold his four-year-old trotter, Tony Dillingham, to Stephen Kerr, Thursday, after a trial that ought to make any horse sell well. Messrs. McWilliams and Kerr hitched the horse to a cart and both got in and drove three miles in nine minutes on the Richland pike, and passed five vehicles in that time besides. That is an unusual record for a horse that has never been tracked, proving Tony to be a natural born trotter. Mr. Kerr is a heavy man, and though Mac is a light weight the two made a good load for such a test. Mac seems to be getting to be a rarely successful horseman, as his Kentucky selections have always proven first-class.

WEATHER INDICATIONS.

Fair weather; slightly warmer; variable winds.

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The Clippers Clipped.

A good number of Marionites accompanied the Clippers to Prospect Thursday afternoon, expecting that ambitious base ball aggregation to wipe up the ground with Prospect and completely knock the conceit out of the nine that has grown on the Scioto banks. The expectations were not realized, however, and the Marion delegation came home with the opinion that the aforesaid Clippers can not play a little bit.

In justice to the Marion club it should be stated that its best catcher, Montgomery, and a couple other regulars were not along, but the substitutes played as well as the regulars who were there, and we are not sure the club was greatly weakened.

The Clippers were never in the game. Prospect's lively little fellows took kindly to McLaughlin's corkscrew curves and batted him easily, and their daring base running and Marion's poor fielding brought about 22 runs up to the seventh inning. Then little Mayhew was put in the box, McLaughlin went in to catch and the Clippers played better ball.

The Marionites could not bat or run bases a little bit and the four runs secured were more than the batting entitled them to. Prospect plays a good game and before the Clippers tackle their southern friends again they must learn to play ball. The score was 21 to 4.

Miraculous Escape.

[Delaware Gazette.]

W. Mayfield, an aged resident of Norton, experienced a miraculous escape from death last Monday while crossing the C., H. V. and T. tracks at Radnor. Approaching the track from the west the elevator, stock yards and cars side tracked, obstructs all view of a train coming from the south. Just as he got on the track his horse saw a train coming and turning short, started up the track. But immediately the buggy was struck by the engine, demolishing it completely, and tumbling the horse down the bank, but leaving Mr. Mayfield lying on top of the cowcatcher. Finding himself, as he supposed, uninjured, but fearing he might be, he slid off to one side. After the train stopped and the hands returned to see what damage was done, they found the horse on his feet and the old gentleman cursing himself. At present Mr. Mayfield is confined to his bed, his injuries being greater than at first supposed to be.

Fair Ground Improvement.

Messrs. Walters, Reber and Clifton, of the board of managers of the Marion county Agricultural Society, are visiting neighboring fair grounds this week with a view of getting new ideas for the contemplated improvement of the Marion grounds.

It has already been decided to build a new fine art hall, directly west of the amphitheater, a new dining hall, new stalls and a new 7 ft. picket fence around the grounds.

The present fine art hall will be used as a vegetable hall and the old dining hall torn down.

There is talk of making the track a mile course, but it is uncertain.

Quietly Married.

The quiet but beautiful wedding of Dr. Edgar B. Lake and Miss Mattie Taylor, was celebrated at the home of the bride's mother, on south East street, Thursday evening, August 15th, at 8 o'clock, the ceremony being performed by Rev. M. C. Miner, of the Free Baptist church. Mr. Lake, since coming to Marion has become very popular in his profession, as well as socially, and the STAR joins his many friends in wishing he and his bride much future happiness.

—On August 21st to 28th inclusive, the Chicago and Atlantic railroad will sell round trip tickets to Milwaukee, Wisconsin, tickets good returning until September 5th inclusive. Purchasers wishing to make side trips from Milwaukee during the encampment can do so by depositing their tickets for safe keeping with the authorized joint agent at Milwaukee who will extend their limit till September 30th inclusive. Fare for the round trip $9.10. On account national encampment G. A. R.

—The Senatorial caucuses were slightly attended Thursday night. Major Titus was elected delegate in the first ward, with G. T. Harding alternate; Second ward, H. C. Hoberman delegate, Wm. Byers alternate; Third ward, Dr. Nicholas delegate, John King alternate; Fourth ward, Ed. Uhler delegate, J. S. Duff alternate. The delegates-at-large will be chosen at a county convention at City Hall Saturday at 1 p. m.

—In the morning we will have fresh blackberries, huckleberries, plums, peaches, nutmeg melons, Concord grapes and plenty of the finest celery grown.

MOORE & DEDRICK.

—Otto, the tramp who had his foot crushed off, has been removed to the county infirmary as a matter of economy. The change, however, so far as the unfortunate man is concerned, is questionable.

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Cash Grocery!

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A Farmer Has a Runaway.

Amos Wilson, residing a few miles west of town, while driving into Marion on Thursday afternoon with a load of oats, met with a runaway accident near the Marion Manufacturing company's works, on west Center street, which resulted in his having an arm badly lacerated. The wagon was loaded with about eighty bushels of oats, and the accident was caused by a portion of the load slipping forward from the wagon and falling upon the horses. Wilson was seated on the front of the wagon load and was carried off by the falling sacks, and one wheel of the wagon passed over his left arm, badly bruising that member. The horses started to run away, but after running a short distance they ran into an electric light pole, driving the tongue of the wagon entirely through the pole, and at this point they were captured.

Mr. Wilson was brought up town to Dr. Hamilton's office, where his injuries were attended. They are sufficient to keep him from work for several weeks. He was removed to his home in the evening.

A Birthday Surprise.

On Thursday night the home of J. J. Woodard, on south Main street, was the scene of one of those enjoyable surprise parties. Mrs. Woodard was the victim, she having reached the thirty-sixth mile stone in life. A large number of friends were present, and Mrs. W. was presented with a beautiful hanging lamp as a souvenir of the occasion.

A bountiful repast was served, and music and a general good time followed until a late hour, when the friends took their leave, each feeling that it had been an evening of true enjoyment.

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